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Applicant: Young J. Paik  
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Title: FEEDFORWARD AND FEEDBACK CONTROL FOR CONDITIONING OF CHEMICAL MECHANICAL POLISHING PAD  
Customer No.: 32588

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8(a)

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 and AMENDMENT**  
**and PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 1.136, please extend the period for response to the Office Action mailed April 28, 2004 for a period of two (2) months up to and including July 28, 2004.

In response to the Office Action dated April 28, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

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